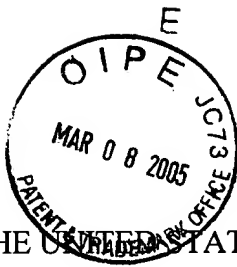


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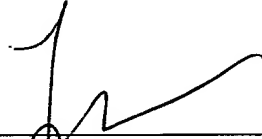
COMMENT ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

Applicant notes the reference, in the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance at pages 2-4 of the Notice of Allowability dated December 28, 2005, to what is disclosed in the specification of the present application. Applicant understands the Examiner's reference to what is disclosed in the specification as meaning only that the Examiner agrees that the claimed structure is disclosed, and not that the claims are limited by or to the details of the preferred embodiment; Applicant notes that the application is being allowed to issue only on that understanding.

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Respectfully submitted,

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